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IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB AND HARYANA
AT CHANDIGARH

COCP-4593-2025 (O&M)
Date of decision : 09.09.2025

Rajiv Kumar

...Petitioner

Versus

Mahenderpal

...Respondent

CORAM: HON'BLE MS. JUSTICE HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN

Present: Mr. Namit Khurana, Advocate for the petitioner.

HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN, J. (Oral)

1. The instant petition has been filed for initiation of contempt proceedings against the respondent for alleged willful disobedience of the order dated 15.05.2025 (Annexure P-1), passed by the Writ Court in CWP-13906-2025, whereby, with the consent of the parties, the petition was disposed of with a direction to the respondent-Director Mines & Geology Department, Panchkula, Haryana to decide the representation dated 28.04.2025 moved by the petitioner and to pass a reasoned and speaking order within a period of 03 months from the date of receipt of a certified copy of the order.

2. Notice of motion.

3. Mr. Sharad Aggarwal, Addl.A.G., Haryana, accepts notice on behalf of the respondent and on instructions from Mr. Chetan Sharma, Legal Assistant, present in Court, submits that the delay in compliance of the aforesaid order has occurred only on account of various departmental proceedings pending against the petitioner, as data was to be collected from various offices. Learned State counsel,



on specific instructions, further submits that respondent undertakes to decide the aforesaid representation within a period of 04 weeks from today.

3. In view of the aforesaid undertaking on behalf of the respondent, nothing survives in the present petition and the same is accordingly disposed of.

4. However, the petitioner shall be at liberty to file an application for revival of the petition, if the undertaking given aforesaid is not complied with.

5. Pending miscellaneous applications, if any, shall stand disposed of.

09.09.2025

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[HARPREET KAUR JEEWAN]

JUDGE

Whether speaking / reasoned : Yes No

Whether Reportable : Yes No